

By

Wright

H. B. No. 1405

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the qualifications for an athletic trainer license.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 9, Chapter 498, Acts of the 62nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1971 (Article 4512d, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 9. (a) An applicant for an athletic trainer license must ~~[possess one of the following qualifications]:~~

(1) have met the athletic training curriculum requirements of a college or university approved by the board and give proof of graduation; ~~[or]~~

(2) hold a degree or certificate in physical therapy and a physical therapist license issued under Chapter 836, Acts of the 62nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1971 (Article 4512e, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) ~~[and have completed a basic athletic training course from an accredited college or university, and have completed an apprenticeship of 720 hours in two years under the direct supervision of a licensed athletic trainer acceptable to the board or as per board approval. Actual working hours will include a minimum of 20 hours per week during each fall semester];~~ or

(3) hold a degree in corrective therapy with at least a minor in physical education or health which included a basic athletic training course and meet apprenticeship or any other requirement established by the board.

1 (b) [~~4~~] An out-of-state applicant must fulfill one of the
2 [~~above---stated~~] qualifications under Subsection (a) of this
3 section[~~7--(1)7--(2)7--or--(3)7~~] and submit proof of active engagement
4 as an athletic trainer in this state under [~~the-State-of-Texas-as~~
5 ~~set-forth-in~~] Section 16(b) of this Act.

6 SECTION 2. An athletic trainer license issued before the
7 effective date of this Act is governed by the law as it existed
8 before being amended by this Act. An applicant for an athletic
9 trainer license who, before the effective date of this Act, filed
10 an application and complied with the appropriate licensing laws and
11 rules in effect immediately preceding the effective date of this
12 Act and who was not issued the license before that date, is
13 entitled to be issued the license for which he applied. The former
14 laws and rules are continued in effect for those purposes.

15 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 1983.

16 SECTION 4. The importance of this legislation and the
17 crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an
18 emergency and an imperative public necessity that the
19 constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several
20 days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended.

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MAR 8 1983

1. Filed with the Chief Clerk.

MAR 21 1983

2. Read first time and Referred to Committee on

Public Health

3. Reported favorably (as amended) (as substituted) and sent to Printer at _____

4. Printed and distributed at _____

5. Sent to Committee on Calendars at _____

6. Read second time (amended); passed to third reading (failed) by (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present, not voting).

7. Motion to reconsider and table the vote by which H.B. _____ was ordered engrossed prevailed (failed) by a (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting).

8. Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days suspended (failed to suspend) by a four-fifths vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting.

9. Read third time (amended); finally passed (failed) by (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present, not voting).

10. Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

11. Motion to reconsider and table the vote by which H. B. _____ was finally passed prevailed (failed) by a (Non-Record Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting).

12. Ordered Engrossed at _____

13. Engrossed.

14. Returned to Chief Clerk at _____

15. Sent to Senate.

Chief Clerk of the House

16. Received from the House

17. Read, referred to Committee on _____

18. Reported favorably

19. Reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute; Committee Substitute read first time.

20. Ordered not printed.

21. Regular order of business suspended by (a viva voce vote.) (_____ yeas, _____ nays.)

_____ 22. To permit consideration, reading and passage, Senate and Constitutional Rules
suspended by vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays.

_____ 23. Read second time _____ passed to third reading by:
(a viva voce vote.)
(_____ yeas, _____ nays.)

_____ 24. Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

_____ 25. Senate and Constitutional 3-Day Rules suspended by vote of _____ yeas,
_____ nays to place bill on third reading and final passage.

_____ 26. Read third time and passed by
(a viva voce vote.)
(_____ yeas, _____ nays.)

OTHER ACTION:

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Secretary of the Senate

_____ 27. Returned to the House.

_____ 28. Received from the Senate (with amendments.)
(as substituted.)

_____ 29. House (Concurred) (Refused to Concur) in Senate (Amendments) by a (Non-Record
(Substitute) Vote) (Record Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, _____ present,
not voting).

_____ 30. Conference Committee Ordered.

_____ 31. Conference Committee Report Adopted (Rejected) by a (Non-Record Vote) (Record
Vote of _____ yeas, _____ nays, and _____ present, not voting).

_____ 32. Ordered Enrolled at _____